SELECTMEN'S MINUTES

1905-1913

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH

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March 23. 1905

Board of Selectmen met and organized with Charles F Choate Jr. as Chairman for 1905 and Chas. L. Fairbanks Secretary

The following appointments were made

Fire Wards

Wm A Gould
Charles C Hildreth
Wm Gleshill
John J O'Brien

Forest Fire Wards

Wm A. Gould
Charles C Hildreth
Wm Gleshill
A E Bacon
F A Baker
J S Horner

Burial Agent

George Cantello

Inspector of Animals

Silas G. Allen

Inspector of Meats and Provision

Silas G. Allen

Agent of Board of Health

W. E. Barney

Keeper of Lockup and Can of Tramps

Daniel F. Kelly Salary at $50.00

Left matter of buying two hand fire Extinguishers for Southern C. with M

Chas. L. Fairbanks Sec

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April 7. 05

Regular meeting night.

Comm. F Cuvatte Jr. and John J Henderson not present and Mr. O'Leary Auditor being ill no meeting was held

Treasurers note for $5,000. dated Mar. 28, 05 for presented for approval 3 yrs @ 3½ %.

Also note of $5,000 dated Apr. 8 - 9 months @ 3½ % in anticipation of taxes

Apr. 14

Appointed Marcus L. Jackson Cordaville as a Special Police Officer to serve until March 1. 1906, without pay.

Approved Treasurer's bond for 1905

May 5, 1908

Reg Jay Day. Full Board present;

T H Bagley's pay trusted by Dec. 1st 1908

W Gledhill resignation as fireman rec'd.

Voted to appoint Walter Mingo and Chas. O. Misener as Special Police Officers for the remainder of the ensuing year to serve without pay.

Mr. Gledhill's resignation accepted vacancy held unfilled for the present.

C H Fairbanks

Clerk

May 26. 1905

Special meeting. to regulate speed of Automobiles and Motor Cycles

Voted

1st That the speed of Motor Vehicles on Main Street in Southborough Centre between Lovr Lane and Mutteson's Corner shall not exceed ten miles per hour.

2nd That all motor vehicles be wholly excluded from the highway beginning at the railroad bridge on the Northborough road and running through the Cowen Farm to Main Street

3rd That the speed of motor vehicles in Cordaville and Southville villages shall not exceed ten miles an hour from a point 300 yards east of the Hopkinton road to the Westborough Town line

Chas. L. Fairbank

Clerk

June 2, 1905

Mr. Curtis ~~absent~~ present (full Board)

Regular pay day

approved note for 5000. 7 mos. @ 3½%

in Anticipation of taxes.

July June 30. 1905

Regular monthly meeting Mr. Choate absent

Approved bills

No other business came before the Board.

August 4. 1905

Regular monthly meeting

August 21.

Special meeting

Voted to grant a hearing to the Boston & Maine St. Ry. Co on Sept 13. 1905 on their petition for alteration and relocation of their tracks in Fayville

See petition copy and order at end of book

August 24. 1905

Special Meeting

Voted 1st that the speed of motor vehicles on Main street in Southborough Center between Love Lane and Whittemore's Corner shall not exceed ten miles per hour

2d That all motor vehicles be wholly excluded from the highway beginning at the Railroad Bridge on Northborough Road and running Through The Choate Farm to Main Street

3d That the speed of Motor Vehicles in Cordaville and Southville Villages shall not exceed ten miles per hour, from a point 300 yards east of the Hopkinton Road to the Westborough Town Line.

TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH.

Special Regulations Applying to Speed of Motor Vehicles, adopted under the provisions of Chapter 366 of the Acts of 1905.

At a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen of Southborough, held Aug. 24, 1905, it was voted:

1st: that the speed of motor vehicles on Main street in Southborough Center, between Love Lane and Whittemore's Corner, shall not exceed ten miles per hour.

2d: That all motor vehicles be wholly excluded from the highway beginning at the Railroad Bridge on the Northborough Road and running through the Choate Farm to Main Street.

3d: That the speed of motor vehicles in Cordaville and Southville Villages shall not exceed ten miles per hour, from a point 300 yards east of the Hopkinton Road to the Westborough Town Line.

A true copy. Attest:

CHAS. L. FAIRBANKS,

Clerk of Board of Selectmen of Southborough.

Pub. in Worcester Telegram August 25. 1905.

Attested copy sent to Mass. H. Comm. Aug 25. 1905

Sept. 1, 1965

Regular meeting Henderson and Fairbanks present

Sealer of Weights and Measures (W C Simpson) discussed the matter of Sealing Deerpost Milk jars and it was decided to defer matter of means of payment for the present and have article inserted in warrant to provide for a salary.

Nov. 7, 1901

D C Nichols and W A Gould were appointed by the Selectmen to perambulate the Westboro Southborough Town Lines and for that purpose to meet the Westborough Selectmen on Nov. 15. 1901

Dec 15 1901

D C Nichols and W A Gould were appointed by the Selectmen to perambulate the Marlboro Southborough lines and for that purpose meet J F Bigelow Marlboro City Engineer on Dec. 20, 1901

Nov. 3. 1905

Appointed Harry Burnett as Special Officer to have charge of Gypsy Moth destruction Thr Sealy present

Appointed as Ballot Clerks and tellers for Election Day Jas H. Flagg D. C. Nichols, Thos Galvin Wm F. Harrington E C Wright or Fred Wells

Appointed as Substitutes for the Selectmen for perambulation of town lines, Potmen Southboro and Northborough D C Nichols and Wm A Gould to act on such day as may be agreed upon with Westboro Officers

Supplement to Meeting of March 6 1906

Appointments as follows.

George Carlisle. as Burial Agent. Soldiers

Silas S Allen " Cattle Inspector

Millard Simpson Scaler of Wgts & Measures

Wm A Small. Fire & Forest Fire Wardens

John J O'Brien " " " " "

George N Gilmore " " " " "

John T Byam " " " " " Declined to Serve

Irving A Homer " " " " "

Charles C Hildreth " " " " " Declined

Southborough Mar. 6. 1906

The terms of Office of the Board of Registrars of Voters are as follows:

Geo. Castello Appointed Sept. 15. 1902
term expired Sept 15 1905

Irving Smith appointed May 1. 1903
for 3 yrs. Expires May 1. 1906

W T Harrington appointed Apr. 2. 1904
for 3 yrs. Expires Apr. 2. 1907

Isaac M Drew appointed as a Special Police Nov. 21. 1902 to serve during the pleasure of the Selectmen

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Ashland Town Lines perambulated Apr. 1902 should be again in Apr. 1907

April 7 1906

Board of Selectmen organized for ensuing year with C F Choate as Chairman
Francis D Nutter as Clerk

The following appointments were made
Arthur L Baker as Fire Warden Inst Dist
" " " " Forest Fire Wardens
John B McGrath " " " " " Fayville
" " " " Fire Warden "
Daniel F Kelly. Looker Keeper at Salary of $50.
William E Barry. Agent for Board of Health
Silas J Allen Inspector of Meat & Provisions
Thomas Fitzgerald Public Weigher of Coal.
Henry A McMaster " " " "
William C Nile Forest & Fire Wardens
Appointed ~~D C Nichols~~ Fayville Fellowly as Inspector of Construction of Street Mains & Change of Location of Trenches in Fayville

June 20 1906

Special Meeting

Special officers appointed for July 4th

Daniel Kelly

F D Venini

C C Hildreth

Marcus Jackson

William A Green

Ordered drawn

Wm A Green to be notified to patrol road from C & C Woods house Malden to Melrose for persons driving automobiles on the Sabbath and to cause arrest of any persons so doing

Oct 25 1906

Board of Selectmen met. Drew warrant for November Town meeting for State Election

Appointed Dr. Clinton Nichols
Augustus E. Wright
Perley A McMorris

Constables Chas C Holdredge. Wm A Gould

District 16 - 1907

Board of selectmen and all Town officers
Frederick Hunter elected Chairman
Thos. Burnett " Clerk
Assessment
Geo Caulkins Board of Health
William A Jones Fire warden at Center
John J O'Brien " " " Southville
Chas L Holbrook " " " Tyrrell
Wm E O'Neil " " " Cedarville
~~George W Gibson~~ Fire Warden West Southville District
John L Byard " " West "
Wm Smiley " " East "
Alvah L Baker Forest Fire Warden West "
Fred A Smith " " Tyrrell
~~Geo W Gibson~~ " " " Southville
Edgar A Taylor " " " Center

Lloyd F. Kelley Lock & Keeper
Wm E Barney Agent Board of Health
Thomas Fitzgerald Weigher of Coal Cedarville
Henry A. Fitz Hunter " Center

Grant L Jackson Special Police at Greenville without pay.

J. T. Hunt authorized to attend to the painting of Corporation Trucks now in use by the Legislature for the session & temporarily consult if necessary

March 30th

Board met pursuant

Voted

Jn. Henderson be authorized to have
erected 2 street lights on Pearl St in
Smithville.

Voted Jn Henderson is authorized & instructed
to have 2 street lights erected on Pearl St in Smithville

Voted Leland Allen be appointed Inspector
of animals

Voted Leland Allen is appointed Inspector
of Meats & provisions

Voted

Refer the application of Leslie Hinkle
a transient to next meeting of Board.

Voted To adjourned Regularly next June
Jn March 1st part of Town

Voted

To authorize Sheehan & Son & Cook
Bros Masonry on Henderson [illegible]
[illegible] To [illegible]

April 5 1907

Board met at Record - audited [illegible]
Bills as shown for the month
Voted
To appoint William L. Jordan [illegible]
of Wards & Measurers for the ensuing year
to act as such [illegible]

April 13 1907

Selectmen met at Bartlett Chute Fayette
& Jay Peak, on Monday, Tenth of Bartlett
& Worcester at Fayette
Voted to close Town Farm to automobiles

April 20 1907

Selectmen met at Lanford Farm clerk
& met representatives of Bartlett & Worcester
relative to a Town Out of County Town.
Voted to Official Town Meeting ~~April~~ 30 May 3 1907
Election of Officers on 1st
Regular monthly meeting, all present.

Letter to Aylmore Patterson of Jr & Jr & Jr Co.

June 7th

Board met all present

Bills in sequence -

Voted To adjourn Lyman ~~Holcomb~~ Holcomb
special petition without fees. Hearing on
petition of N. E. Tel & Tel Co. for pole locat
from present line at junction of So Framingham
road & Southboro-Marlboro road east John Sheldon
& Macmunn June 14

Special meeting of Board all present
hearing on Boston & Worcester ~~turnpike~~ petition for
new street on turnpike and, turnout in front
of Cleanfort Dairy

Voted to approved petition of B & W
for widening of both the turnpike
& the road in front of Cleanfort Dairy
also hearing of petition of Boston &
Worcester for relocation of tracks on
B & W. turnpike and hearing on relocati
of tracks or new road to Marlboro
opposite Cleanfort Dairy Company

July 1, 1907

Special meeting of Trustees of Village
of Port Jervis

Present Trustees Hunter, Wright,
Lincoln & Ettinger & Clerk pro tem.

Motion to appoint John J. Allen special
police watchman during August & September
to date Board)

Motion of Trustee John J. Allen & Trustee
Wm Lennon appointed police duty July 3
& 4th to July 5th & 6th also Patrick
O'Brien.

July 5th 1917

Board met at Council Room

Bills allowed

July 25th 1921

Henry A. Abel, Chemin Road

& Jos. Burnett. Wm. Hurd, Parker

Supervisor Precinct

July. Aug. 2 1921

Present Fenton & Burnett present.

George H. Downing drawn as Juror

from Bell Plains

Sept. 6 1907

Regular meeting all present. Bills approved.

The following were appointed Ballot Clerks at Polling

A. Evans, Wright, Wallace, Harrington, Thomas, Gabriel, Wilhelm, Nichols, Henry A. Jones, Hunter, Donovan, Hunter

Nov. 1907

Regular Meeting, All present, bills approved.

Jan 3, 1908

Regular Meeting, all present, bills approved.

Jan 10, 1908

Special Meeting, Mr. Hunter absent, bills approved.

July 6 1908

Regular Meeting, all present
bill approved.
Voted to grant a license to St Ignatius
Brass Club to hold a food Sale

Voted against John Leahy a special
police man.

July 14

Special Meeting, Present Messrs
Newton & Burnett.
Warrant prepared for Town Meeting
March 2.
Voted to appoint for Selectmen Ballot clerks
Chas W. Howard Thos Fabrin A. E. Wright
Hours of the Meeting, Adjournment from 7 o'clock
for the Annual Town Meeting, Mar 2.

Jan 2. Annual meeting all present
Voted to appoint Wallace C. Simpson
Sealer of Weights & Measures for one year
from Jan 2. 1908.

Jan. 6. 1908

Regular meeting all present Bill approved
F. H. Newton unanimously elected
Chairman for the ensuing year
John F. Burnett elected Secretary.
Hearing on Petition for carrying arms.
The following appointments for the
ensuing year were made

Geo Constable / Burial Agent
Wm. A. Gould Fire wards Southboro Dist
John J. O'Brien " " Southville
Thos G. Hubbuch " " Temple
Wm E Abbott " " Constable
John F Bryant " " West district
Wm Goodale " " East "

William L. Baker	Scout	Fire Warden	West district
Jack A. Smith	"	"	Laymile
Geo A Gleason	"	"	Smithville
Elijah A. Taylor	"	"	Keeler
Edgar M Smith	"	"	Flag district
Harold F Kelley	Looking	Reflex	
Wm E. Barney	agent	Board of Health	
Thos Fitzgerald	Marshal	of Lost Corneville	
Henry A. McMartin	"	"	Smithtown
John Healy	"	"	"
Augustus E Wright	"	"	Laymille
Paul S. Lincoln	"	"	Smithville
Marion F. Jackson	without pay	Special Police	Warden
John T Burnett	without pay	"	"
Silas J. Allen		Inspector of	Animals
Silas J. Allen		"	"
Silas J. Allen	Special	Police	without pay
Wm Luddy	"	"	"
Lyman Hollands	"	"	"
Walter Mingo	"	"	"
Henry Libby	"	Fire	warden West San

all appointments made for our year.

Ft. Ann Jan 28.
Second Inst. Drawn Rank & Pay
Ironclad Account due me June
1st. Inst.

April 3, 1911

Regular Meeting. Minutes read & approved. Roll called.

Lyman W. Taft admitted member of Coal & Canton

Harry Brown admitted Patrol Worker.

Adolph E. Lindblom appointed Watchman

April 13.

Special Meeting all present Confirmed with Franklin Electric Co. Voted to renew Electric Light contract 6 years from April 1, 1908 to including Smithville Cordaville Voted to join Lexington Association & J. J. Roche elected to same Voted Lunch to Aldermen for underlaker

May 4 1908

Regular Meeting all present
bills allowed.
Voted Case Town Scales pr Estimate
Stay 8th Sat.

June 5. 1908

Regular Meeting all present but
Sec. Burnett bills allowed
Voted To appoint Chas H. Hewes Clerk of the Board
Term June 10. 1908 Freeman & Town Meeting for yr

Special Meeting all present
Bids for Facility iron fence opened
Voted Refer same Sec. Burnett to take
with Boston Edison Co. with the
idea of the town having material &
doing work itself.
Voted
Not to pay the bill of Clifford
H. Clark of Marlboro dated May 23
for damages claim to be done to
his motor cycle of the Shirley Hill
road.

July 3 1918

Regular Meeting all present
Bill approved.
Board of Trustees & Collector
authorized & order sent to Auditor

Voted to advance Jas. H. Dixon
special policeman ~~at the rate~~
for the Metropolitan Water Board until
not May 1st for the remainder of the year

Voted to
accept Metropolitan Water & Sewage
Board proposition for Sewage pipe as
set forth in the letter of June 29. 1918
Voted

Clerk Town Board Office
Corrected until July.

Aug. 7

Regular meeting all present

Bills referred.

Bids for for chemical steel Counter

Thos P Hurley $1517

J G. Warren dec 1858

H. F. Walker 1875

H K & W Archer Jan 1978

Henry T. Fales 2490

James Hanley 2261.78.

Voted

To award the contract for furnishing chemical steel to Thos P. Hurley for $1517 being the lowest bidder.

Voted To put in three electric lights in Council room & one in Mayor's room

Voted Grant Campbell Common Citizens Bill & Common

Sept. 4 1908

Regular meeting all present
Bill approved.
Voted That the Chairman be authorized to notify the owners of church shed to remove the same by the 1st of Oct. 1908.
Voted
To allow Andrew Felker permit to carry pistol.
Voted
To appoint Andrew Felker Special police with out pay on private matters in Parkville.
Voted
To put electric lights in the Fire Hose & Hook & Ladder House.
Voted.
To ~~rent~~ to close the Fire Limits of Parkville unless consent is obtained

Voted To allow Chas L. Fairbanks permit to carry pistol.

Voted To authorize the Chairman to return bond to Boston & Worcester St R'y when said railroad has reimbursed to Town for all monies

Voted

To appointed Geo Costello Registrar of Voters for one year from date

To appointed Dennis Smith Registrar of Voters for two years from date

To appointed Wm F Harrington Registrar of Voters for three years from date

Oct 2. 1908

Regular meeting of Selectmen all present Bible reference.

Voted To appoint for Teller's ballot clerks for the election Nov 3. 1908

Wm. Hampton Chas W. Howard

Thos Galvin A E Wright

Harry A. McIntosh Edmund J. Keeler

Voted That the Boston & Worcester Railway be ~~hereby~~ complied with the provisions ~~provisions~~ provisions of the franchise granted to it by the town July 11 1907 and the extension of the same & the work in hereby accepted

Voted

to shoot dead, some species of ~~species~~ without duty or ~~duty~~ penalty in any part of the town.

Nov 5, 1938

Regular Meeting of Selectmen all present

Bills allowed

Dec 4, 1938

Regular Meeting of Selectmen all present

Bills allowed

Jan 1 1879

Regular Meeting
Board of Trustees

Voted. To appoint a committee to collect & warm funds to relief of sufferers in Utah, Lincoln Co. & Carter County

Waldo B Gay Chairman & Treasurer
Rev James J. Ward
Rev Henry Woodward
Rev Rockwood
John Berry
Thomas Fitzgerald
Paul A. Linder

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June 1909

Special meeting of the Board
all present. Bills allowed

July 5. 1909

Regular Meeting of the Board
all present. Bills allowed
C.J. Clark & others Chas. Sanders
Secretary

March 6. 1907

Regular Meeting all present bills approved. F. L. Hawton unanimously elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year. John T. Burnett elected Secretary.

Chas H. Hawton appointed Clerk of the Board for the ensuing year.

George Cantelo appointed Truant Agent.

Edward F. Kelley - Warden & Lock up -

Wm E. Baring - Agent Board of Health -

Thos Fitzgerald Weigher of Coal

Henry A. McMaster " " "

John Healey " " "

Augustus E. Wright " " "

Paul T. Hawton " " "

Ellis C. McIntosh " " "

James Strickland " " "

Warren D. Jackson Special Police authorized by

John T. Burnett " " "

Edwin J. Allen " " "

Wm Smedley " " "

Lyon Gallanby Shearing Sheep without
Walter Lunger " " " "
for St Marks property.
all absentees for one year
Andrew Sellers appointed Special
Police without pay in Parkersville
only.
Vote to appoint Harry Bennett
Forest Warden for the coming
year.
Vote to appoint
Albert L. Hyde Fire Warden Center
Hiram J. O'Brien " " Southville
Chas. C. Hildreth " " Englewood Foxville
Thos. E. O'Neill " " Cordaville
Chas. L. Bryant " " West
Voted To appoint Silas T. Allen
Inspector of Animals & Inspector of
Meats & Provisions
Voted To appoint William O. Sanderson
Sealer of Weights & Measures for the
coming year to date from March 2

1909. Voted ~~to adjourn~~ to call a Special Town Meeting for March 15 1909

April 2. 1909.

Regular meeting, all present Records adopted.
Resignation of Albert Hyde as fire warden received & accepted
John J. Flannery of Hamilton is in Class.
Voted
To adjourn because no Special Notice for ~~annual~~ Town on land of the Metropolitan Water Board without fence from March 15 1909.
Voted to adjourn ~~sine die~~ to April 5 Special notice for ~~annual~~ Town Meeting.

Voted to authorize all John
Officers constable & guard Tuesday
with police man Eddy Ellis

April 17, 1909

Special Meeting all present
Conference with Southern Electric Co.

May 7, 1909

Adj Regular Meeting. All present
Bills allowed
Committee of the [illegible]
appointed requesting the [illegible]
for Rock to be made [illegible]
Voted to authorize [illegible]
Special Police man for the Summer
Fourth July Week.
Voted to appoint Ernest [illegible]
Howard T Clark weigher of coal at
Switchville

June 4 1909

Regular meeting of Selectmen held tonight, orders drawn. No other official business to come before Board.

Chas. Cook Bd Selectmen

June 20 1909

At 7.30 PM in the Lower Town Hall in accordance with previously posted notices. The Selectmen held a hearing in regard to establishing the bounds on the Trolley Road location from the house of Geo H Barrows southerly for the purpose of widening the Highway layout in order to build a sidewalk.

Chas H Newton
Clerk Bd Selectmen

July 2 1909
Continued hearing before Board of Selectmen

~~July~~ June 29 1909

Special meeting, Board present
Voted To order authorizing the Water
Board Lincoln City, ~~Mass~~ to cut
trees marked for the forestry dept.

July 2. 1909.

Regular meeting all present
All ~~present~~ approved. Hearing on layout
out Lafayette Road.
Voted To allow the Southern Land
Co ~~Lincoln~~ 5¢ cement one in each
valley 2 in the center Loss to be used
that has appropriated or town Water

July 13 1909

Special meeting of Bd Board to
~~for~~ hear on petition of ~~Edward Lyle~~
R.E. Lyle & Tel Co
for pole locations on Sandbox
Road. Voted duly posted & given.
Hearing adjourned to Aug. 6th 7:30 P.M.

Aug 6 1909

Regular meeting all present

Bills allowed.

Hearing [illegible] adjourned to Tuesday Aug 10 at 7.30 PM

Com Letter from Boston Post Aug 6 requesting the board to permit gold hunters camp to use water of the town

Voted To refer the whole matter with full power to the chairman of the Board of Selectmen

Voted Special meeting of Board on Tuesday Aug 10 at 7.30 PM

Hearing on Petition of N. E. Tel & Tel Co. for permission to lay a conduit across Pleasant Street at Cross Street Voted To adjourn sine

Aug 16 1898

Special Meeting all present

Committee on [illegible] reports that the Board with H. C. [illegible] majority of said committee. [illegible]

[illegible] committee to [illegible]

[illegible] committee

[illegible] place [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Bryan [illegible]

[illegible] 1898

Sept 3. 1907

Regular meeting all present
Bill approved. Dr John L Bacon
present & reported a case of diphtheria
in the village of Fayette.
Voted To notify the School Committee
not to open the Fayette or to send
any Fayette children to the main school
until notified to by the Selectmen acting
on the board of Health.
Voted To appoint Geo Conklin
Registrar of Voters for three years to
date about 1. 1907
~~Voted~~ Voted To authorize the Chairman
to obtain bids for fence & water closet
at ~~same~~ ~~room~~ ~~foot~~ & for the
contract to the lowest bidder.
Voted To authorize the Chairman
to contract for fence & water closet
at ~~room~~ foot & to give contract
for both houses as per agreement with
R. M. Burnett for building both houses
to Glen Harbor

Oct 1, 1909

Regular meet. All present.
Bill approved.
Voted To grant C. F. Chase & Sons
to put automobile signs on the main
St.
Voted To appoint for ballot clerks Tobin
A. J. Lenton. H. C. Duchots. Wm Hamm
A. E. Wright ~~Symmes~~ Henry A. Lee Martin
Dean J. O'Neill
Voted Clerk polls on Election day
Nov 2 at 6 A. M.

Oct. 30th 1797

Set Special meeting all present.
Voted Ephraim Smith Bayley Tallot
Clark in place of A. J. Hunter who resigns
Voted To close Chestnut Hill Road from
Bent gazan, Towers Lane, & Pine Hill
Road from Chemnitz Road ~~south~~ north
to Frankton - Inhabitants live to automobiles

Southbridge Nov 5/09

at Reg meeting of the Selectmen
Voted to allow Francis J. Magner
until Dec 10th to complete
Contract With Town of Southbridge

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Dec 3rd 1906

Regular Meeting of Selectmen
Mr Henderson and Nichols present
The matter of raising the Brick Church
St Ry to change grade of Brick Church
to conform to new grade was
fully discussed with
the Representatives of the Company. Some
matter laid on the table pending
visit by the Selectmen

Letter from Trustees of Free Library
asking for donation of Selectmen
for expenditure of $20, for newspapers
was referred same answer sent to
Mr C P Chandler for

Orders drawn on Town Treasurer
Collector Dept Highway Commissioners
Engineering Cleaning Streets Lamps Clerk
Hire Wards and Police Pay Rolls

June 7 1910

Meeting Held By Selectmen
To act on Bills Present
Newton & Henderson

June 22 1910

Meeting Held By Selectmen
Bills Opened and Voted to
Have F. O. Newton Lay Blue
Stone on new Industrial
School Building and Gardener
Present Newton & Henderson

Feby 18. 1910

Special Meeting. all present
Prepared warrant for Annual Town Meeting.

Voted
To, for ballots clerks - tellers for the
annual Town Meeting Town. 7. 1910.
A. J. Preston. A. E Wright Wm. Hampton
Harry A Fuller Wm. Hall
Joseph A. Leary. Lyman Tolman. Joel
Henderson.

Voted To refer back to 5000 Special
commission on the abolition of Grade
Crossing the decision of the Mass
R.R. Com.

March 4. 1910

Regular Meeting. all present

Bills ~~allowed~~ allowed.

Voted. To ~~after~~ change the name of Back Road Southville to Highland Road.

Communication from John Scales, demanding $100. damages from water claimed to be caused by raising the grade of the street.

Communication from S H Howes asking bill for janitor service at Southville School House Voted It is the opinion of the selectmen that this & other bills for connection with the school houses & shall be paid by the School Committee

March 12. 1910

Special meeting. All present

F. L. Newton elected Chairman for ensuing year

W. T. Barnes " Secretary " "

Chas. H. Newton " Clerk of the Town

George Cantello " Constable & Truant Officer

Samuel F. Kelley " Keeper of Lockup

Wm. E. Barney " Agent of Board of Health

Thos. Letherwood " Warden of Cedar

Henry A. Mc Master " "

John Sealey " "

A. E. Wright " "

Paul F. Newton " "

E. L. Hodge " "

La C. Nichols " "

James Hockwell " "

Marcus L. Jackson Special Police without pay

Wm. T. Barnes " "

Peter J. Allen " "

Wm. Priddy " "

Truman Hollenbeck " "

Llewellyn Howe " "

Walter Meyer Special police without
pay on St Mark property ~~only~~
Assessors Letter Special police for
Jos Bennett, C. H. Choate, Chas H. Charles
J. Jos Sears & Geo P. Gardner collectors ~~only~~
Same Jos Sears special police uniform
Board of Water Supply ~~Board~~ ~~only~~ water board with
out pay.
John Sealey special police without
pay whose property of Dracena
Realty Corporation, ~~and~~
Voted to appoint
John J. Hanny Fire warden Center
Chas C. Hildreth Asst Fire Chief
Wm. E. O'Neill Cordaville
John L. Bryant West Part
John J. O'Brien Southville
Voted to appoint Harry Bennett
Sydney Smith & Frank Earl "Accountants"
to Clerk
Voted to appoint Harry Bennett
Inspector of Wires pro tem

Voted To authorize the Selectmen
a committee to carry ~~Selectmen~~ Voted killing
ofpheasants by Selectmen

Petition received from N. E. Tel & Tel
for right to attach wires to poles in
Marlboro & Electric Light Co from
Newton St over Main St & Lakeview
road to residence of Lester W. Barney

Voted To refer the same to Chairman
of Board

April 1, 1910

Regular meeting all present.
Bills approved.
Voted Peter Farrell permit relative to change in Boston & Worcester near St Anne Church.
Voted To request Boston & Worcester to change their tracks at or near St Anne Church.
Voted To abate Peter Lahan's assessment of Corporate & Property & Provision at a rate of 20 per year to date Mar 31
Voted to abate Willard C Sampson Dealer's Corporate & Property for 1st assessment year at the same rate as last year to date from Dec 2, 1910.
Voted To appoint Patrick Fallon fire warden in place John F Regan resigned
Selectmen endorsed check from Town Commissioner of Town Treasurer.

Voted to appoint Chas Jones and

Patrick Dougherty sheriff Police Officers for the ensuing year

Voted to instruct the Fire Wardens to notify the Chief of Police within 24 hours of every fire & the name of every person seen & cause.

Voted Fifty Dollars be & is set on the question of keeping dog pound in Zanesville and that Paul J Lewis be the same in Zanesville.

Voted J. F. Bowers employ an assistant to examine accounts of Town Treasurer and Collector.

Voted Chairman write to the Light Co. upon the question of gas lamps in the town.

SOUTHBORO

PETITION AND NOTICE

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Southborough:

The New England Telephone & Telegraph company of Massachusetts respectfully asks that permission be granted to your Honorable Board for the attachments of its fixtures and wires to poles of the Mariboro Electric Company, already erected or that may hereafter be erected as follows:

Main Street from Newton Street to Latisquama Road, thence via Latisquama Road to the residence of Lester Barney, 15 poles.

The New England Telephone & Telegraph Company of Massachusetts
by FRANCIS A. HOUSTON,
C. S .S.
General Manager

Notice

All persons interested in the above petition who desire to be heard are herby notified that a hearing will be held at the Selectmen's Room in the Town House in Southborough on Saturday, April 9th next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

FRANCIS D. NEWTON,
JOHN T. BURNETT,
PAUL S. LINCOLN,
Selectmen of Southborough.

Southborough, March 26, 1910.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MASSACHUSETTS HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

Notice of Hearing on Special Regulation Excluding Motor Vehicles from Certain Ways in the Town of Southborough.

In accordance with the provisions of the Acts of 1909, chapter 534, section 17, the Massachusetts Highway Commission will give a public hearing at Room 400, 15 Ashburton Place, Boston, on Wednesday, December 22, 1909, at 10 A. M., to all persons interested in the following special regulation made by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Southborough:—

"Voted, to close Chestnut Hill Road from Bent Garage, also Lovers Lane, and Pine Hill Road from Clements Road north to Framingham and Marlboro line, to automobiles."

By order of the Massachusetts Highway Commission. A. B. FLETCHER, Secretary.

Boston, Dec. 14, 1909.

May 6 1910

Regular meeting. Mr Emmett absent.
Bills approved
Voted that Mr Sawtelle Southbridge
Board to give five cents on each
in Cedarville Southville and Fay ville
and two in Southbridge Center along
Judy and keeper in accordance with
vote at annual Town meeting of Mar 8
Address application of Warren C Judd
for State aid.
William Smiddy and Fred M Sherlock
appointed Special Police without pay
for protection of water pollution matter on
property in Southbridge.
Charles Jones & Patrick McGlaughlin
Deputy Police men that they declined
to serve as Special Police officers in Cedarville
Voted to permit Adams B & A
to change post with existing hydrant on
town of Southbridge at ~~Southbridge~~
Fay ville and Southbridge Center

~~Voted to grant J. Jones Flagg~~

Voted to offer a reward of $20.00 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person found ~~doing~~ or breaking Electric light in the town.

R. L. Lunt acting Clerk

Granted

Granted

Granted

Granted

Refused not needed

Granted

Hearing continued on this one week at 7-30 P.M.

Jan 3. 1930

Regular Meeting All present Ald. Hall
Voted To appoint Willard E Lumpkin
special police for the ensuing year
without pay.
Voted To grant the application
of the American Express Co. to transact
intoxicating liquors in the village of
Cordaville & Southville
Voted accept the invitation of the
City of Marlboro to be present at their
250th anniversary and that all town
officers be notified.
Voted that Jr. Burnett be authorized to
notify the Board Highways Com. the
Town will pay for sixty loads of
sand to be put on the State road
at 9 P Square to cover the loam
& Thos P. Feeney of the Common
Fence for the ensuing year.
Voted To approve the note of the Town
Treasurer to the Marlboro Savings Bank

for 5 per cent demand at the rate of
5 3/8 per cent under authority of
vote from at Town Meeting, Board of
Voted To grant a License as auctioneer
to Francis H. Dexter for the ensuing
year

July 1. 1930

Regular meeting - all present
Bills allowed.

Hearing on petition of J & T Tisdale for right to place 20 poles & string wire on Clark Hill Road from Tompkins to town of Sanford.

Petitioners by telephone to appear Hearing appointed until Tuesday July 5th at ten o'clock P.M. at Sanford Hotel to accept proposition of Town Highway Commission relative to oiling state highway.

Voted To notify The Highway Surveyor that the bridge over the D. & H. & Hart R.R. is in an unsafe condition. Mailing now.

Voted To appoint John J. O'Brien special police from 12 o'clock July 3rd to July 4th 12 o'clock midnight.

Voted To advance Henry A. Du Bois
further weight of coal & further
measure of bank for the remainder
of this year on Silver St. A. Du Bois
deceased.

Voted To allow the Chairman of the
Board to give anthony & Lent
more grade on the new road near
St. Dennis Church.

Voted To have a pipe put across the
bottom of Wilmarth's Crossing on
the middle road.

Voted to refer to the Chairman & the Clerk
the settlement with Patrick Kavanagh
for grade & etc taken from his lot
on Parkerville road.

Voted To advance Henry Smith
Collector of votes to date from April 1st
1910 for three years

Aug. 5, 1918

Regular meeting, all present
Bills approved. Committee from
Fayette Co Fair met, ask for a horse
race, more horse
Voted to appoint Mr Lesley, Edwards
& Peabody managers each for the
remainder of the year
Voted to paint the two water
at Fayette & move it to Center
Petition received from D. E. Tal & Ind Tel
for permission to attach wires to Co
Electric Light pole in Clearfield Twp.
Voted to order a bell, & lock
a notice for safety owners

Sept 2. 1910

Regular meeting. All present

Bill approved

Hearing held at the time upon petition of R. E. Tate et al, Boston Road, Oldham and Eden. Petition to [illegible] attachments etc to Eden of the Manitou Catalpa Lights on Broadway at Eighth and the right to erect same. Petition to Commissioners Charles H. Stanton

Dorchester Sept 10

Public Hearing held on petition of Boston & Northern St Ry Co for relocation of its tracks in the highway near the mill of C.B. Dalton & Son, at Neponset in said Dorchester at 7-30 o'clock P.M. No persons appeared to object to said changes. Notice of said hearing was published in the Dorchester Chronotype, Reporter & Specifications were approved and petition granted.

Chas H. Newton
Clerk Bd Selectmen

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Sept. 6. 1910.

Regular meeting held at home.
Voted ~~to adjourn at 8 P.M.~~
for ballot clerk & teller
A. J. Hunter, Lee C. Nichols, Wm Haught
W. H. Ira Hunter, Hiram J. O'Neil
~~W. H. A. Young~~, Tyson Hollander
~~Fred Hunter~~ & Chas E. Bagley
Voted To open the polls on Election
Day Nov 8 at 6 o'clock A.M.
Voted To allow the Secretary's ladies
Improvement Society to place boxes for
waste paper &c.

Nov. 5. 1910

Regular Meeting, bills approved
Voted To appoint Edward F.
Collins & Raymond C. Follansby
ballot clerks & Tellers for election
Nov. 8th 1910 in place of Henry A.
McMartin & Symmes Hollander.
Voted To contract an electric light
on the Packanville Road between the
lights in the square & the house of
J. R. Jones
Voted To place a new hydrant in
the square at Smithville to replace
the old one not to exceed $10—

Dec 2. 1910

Regular meeting all present
Bill of Sale.
Voted ½ of Allow Andrew Miller
Scale & Warner to carry a
Loader motor.
Voted Pete Sarris & authorized
& furnished fire escape on for
the School Committee & Owners of
the Pool as ordered by the State
Commissioner also Scale of Weights &
Measures, Town Clerk & Assessors

1st Jan. 4. 1911

Regular Meeting all present
bills allowed

Jan 14, 1911

Special meeting Messrs Porter & Burnett. Bill allowed.

July 3. 1911

Regular Meeting all present
bills allowed
Voted To call extra session
July 16th
Voted To instruct the Chairman of Board
to purchase a new ballot box

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Mar 3. 1911

Regular meeting, all present
except Bill absent.
Voted to appoint Henry Ba Rogers
election officer for annual Town
Meeting.

Mar 10th 1911

Special Meeting all present.
Inspected grade crossing, at Smithtown
Creek with the Commissioner.

Jan 11, 1911

Special Meeting all present.

1st Meeting of the Town Meeting.

Francis A. Hunter was unanimously elected Chairman of the Town for the ensuing year and John F. Hunter Secretary

Voted To elect C. H. Hunter Jack of the Board at $5 per annum

George Candello — Pound Master
Wm E. Barney — Agent Board of Health
Thos Fitzgerald — Warden of Cemetery
Paul F. Hunter
James Hathaway
Harry A. McFarlin
C E Wright
Edward C. Hunter
Warren F. Jackson — Without Special Police
John F. Brownell
Wm Smiddy — Fence Viewers
Isaac M. Hall
Fred M. Hall
Lyman Tollander

Walter Thompson — Special Police without pay on St Mark festivals

Andrew Sellers — Special Police without pay on orders of Jos Bunten Chas F Clarke C. F. Clarke & Jos A Sanderson & A. Jones

~~State~~

John Sealey — Special Police without pay on orders of Drummond Bld. Association

Patrick Joseph Loughlin
Charles Jones
Martin H. Warner
} Special police without pay.

W. J. Flanagan — Fire Warden Center
Chas C. Hildreth — East
Wm E. O'Neil — Councilmanic
Patrick M. Kilman — West
W. J. O'Brien — Councilmanic

Also Lieutenant Harry Bunten
Second Fire Warden and Deputy a Brown

last month apart

Voted To authorize the Constable
& police Officers to carry revolvers
& clubs.

Voted to appoint Hilliard C
Simpson sealer of weights & measures

Silas D. Allen appointed inspector of meats.

Silas D. Allen appointed inspector of milk and
provisions, compensation $1.00 per hour.

April 6 T. 1911.

Regular Meeting all present
Bills allowed.

Voted upon Location for a hole from the Marlboro Electric Co to be situated near the square in Southville.

Resolution

Voted to grant the Marlboro Electric Co. the right to locate a hole near the square in Southville.

Resignation of Waldo B Fay as Town Treasurer to effect May 8. 1911.

Voted To accept the resignation of Waldo B Fay as Town Treasurer to take effect May 8. 1911 or as soon as his successor qualifies

Voted To authorize the Chairman of the Board to purchase 12 Tax Extinguishers if in his judgement the same best, the Town to pay for one half.

Voted - To authorize Thos E Sheldon Town Treasurer from May 8 1911 for the remainder of the Town year

Voted To appoint Waldo A Hay Special Police with such pay as the Selectmen may determine.

Voted To appoint Samuel F Kelley Lock up keeper at $25 for 1 year.

Voted To grant a license to Robt. M. Bennett to slaughter dogs. Oct 30 1912

Voted to appoint John Healey Weigher of Coal

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May 5. 1911

Regular Meeting all present.

Bills approved.

Resignation of Chas E Walden as auditor received

Voted To accept the resignation of Chas E Walden as auditor to take effect May 8th 1911.

Voted To appoint Chas E Bagley auditor for the remainder of the town year to date from May 8th 1911.

Deed of the Flagg School land was signed & delivered to Waldo B. Jay Jesse L & E. Chester Wells as voted at last annual Town Meeting.

Selectmen signed note for $500.00 as authorized under general vote of the Town at the last annual Town Meeting.

Voted To permit the Adams Express Co & Leonard Company, Express cars Town of Dearborn at Fayette

and at Southboro Center.

Hearing upon the petition of the Marlboro Electric Co for permission to be locate

75 poles on Woodland Road

23 poles on Main St from T. P. Lindsey's to Worcester con. St Ry Co's track

10 poles on Brigham St from Main St to track of Worcester con. St Ry Co

3 poles on Newton St from Turnpike Road to Cross St

Ad Andrew Fitzgerald - Heard, regarding location of poles and light - Granted

Voted To grant the petition of the Marlboro Electric Co, as follows

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April 18, 1911.

Mr. F. D. Newton, Chairman
Board of Selectmen, Southboro, Mass.

Dear Sir: The Marlborough Electric Company respectfully petitions the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Southboro, for a location for 111 poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires, in the following named streets and highways:—

On Woodland Road commencing at the present last light and extending to Parkerville Road,—location for 75 poles.

On Main Street commencing at the last light near Mr. Lindsey's residence and extending to the Worcester Consolidated St. Railway Co.'s tracks,—location for 23 poles.

On Brigham Street from the corner of Main St. to the tracks of the Worcester Consolidated Street Railway Co.—location for 10 poles.

On Newton Street from Framingham Road,—location for 3 poles to Cross Street.

The above poles are necessary in order to install street lights as follows:—

Woodland Road, 19 lights.
Main Street commencing at the residence of Mr. Lindsey to the tracks of the Worcester Consolidated St. Railway, 7 lights.
Brigham Street from the corner of Main Street, 3 lights.
Corner of Cross and Newton Street, 1 light.
Total—30 lights.

Yours very truly,
MARLBOROUGH ELECTRIC CO.,
By C. S. Davis, General Manager.

NOTICE

April 22d, 1911.

All persons interested in the petition of the Marlborough Electric Company for permission to erect poles, wires and fixtures on Woodland Road, Main Street, Brigham Street, and Newton Street in the Town of Southborough, are hereby notified that the Selectmen will hear all persons who desire to be heard thereon at the Selectmen's room, in the Town house in said Southborough, on Friday, May 5th, next at eight o'clock p. m.

Francis D. Newton
John T. Burnett
Paul S. Lincoln
Selectmen of Southborough.

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Voted to call a special Town Meeting
on Mark Dow, 2nd at 8 P.M.

June 2. 1711

Regular meeting, all Selectmen
Bills allowed.

The Selectmen signed note for £500 o.
in anticipation of taxes due March 1711
as authorized under general vote passed
by the town at the annual Town
Meeting March 1711.

Voted To offer a reward of £5 for killing
of any dog found to have worried
maimed or killed any sheep, lamb
or domestic animals. £3 reward
for killing of any dog found to have
worried maimed or killed any fowl
or £1 reward for evidence which
shall determine to the satisfaction
of the Selectmen who is the owner
or keeper of the dog by which said
damages is done.

June 20. 1911

Special Meeting all present
Mr Howes ch. of School committee
& Town Treasurer present.
Discussion the question of borrowing
money for the new school house
in Southville
Bids were received from as follows
R. L. Kay & Co. 101.5.27
Estabrook & Co. 101.2.10
Blodgett & Co. 101.3.07 7 th Town Town
Voted. The Selectmen authorized by
accepting the bid of R. L. Kay & Co
for the loaning of $27000 Town of Southboro
Mass 4% school bonds due $2000
each year 1912 to 1926 inclusive for a
premium of and for interest the town
receives thereon the 101.5.27 and accrued
interest to date of delivery which is
equivalent to $101.5.29 and accrued
interest for each $1000 of the bonds

Corporation

Voted That the St Francis Cemetery
be allowed to lay water pipes
across the Town Common
all to be laid.

July 7. 1911

Regular Meeting. All present
Bills approved.
Hearing on petition of Ft Benton
Harlem for right to lay tracks or
turn out at points on private land
Petition to grant location
Hearing on petition of N E Tel & Tel
Co for right for pole location
identical to those from Ft Benton to Dunkirk
Electric light Ord. to amend of
Lyons Ordinance 2 on Report
thereon to from Wood, Rd to
recommend Grant, with
Petition to grant the same.
Appointed W. T. Hennington as
Registrar for three years
from April 1. 1911.

Aug 4. 1911

Regular Meeting of Board. Burritt absent. All present. Bills allowed

Clerk absent

Assessors Lists and Jurymen as Ellis added to State Aid list

The first named at 6 oclock 2nd P.M. to begin Aug 1. 1911

Aug. 27. 1911

Special Meeting all present.

Election of the new Electric Commissioner for State, town & etc.

Voted To appoint Francis L Fenton chairman of the Primary Election to be held Sept 26th. 1911

Voted To appoint ballot board clerk. Joseph A O'Leary & Andrew P Sullivan

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Plat To whom it may concern
Otis Thompson a J Newton, H.C
Nichols a & Wright Wm F
Hampton

Sept 1, 1911

Regular meeting, all present
bills allowed. Lyle contract
for cutting + hay, also hire +
the Town Hall
Voted To Cancel + H. Rector
a auctioneer for one year from
date.

Sept 14, 1911

Special Meeting all present
The board signed $2000 - School House
bonds as authorized. The Town
Treasurer — record the bonds.
Voted To appoint Jas. F. Bennett
Chairman of the Democratic Election
Sept 26th 1911.

Oct. 6. 1911

Regular meeting. Bills approved.

Voted To appoint Chas E. Hildreth & Hellen Lemon Field Drivers.

Voted To call a town meeting on Oct 21st. at 7.30.

Voted To appoint for ballot clerks & tellers for the State Election Andrew R. Sullivan, Jos. H. O'Leary A. J. Newton, H. Ca Nichols Wm Hampton A E. Wright C E. Bayley & H. M. Rogers.

Voted To open the polls on Election day Nov 7th 1911 at 6 o'clock a.m.

Oct 20 1911

Please notify all present
applicants meeting here
by 7 o'clock for business as many
as possible. Take notice
accordingly.

Per Order of Worshipful Master
Fred Thomas Secretary pro tem

Nov 3 1911

Regular meeting all present
Bill allowed.

Hearing on petition of N. E. Tel. & Tel Co
& Marlboro Electric Co for joint pole
location on Worden Road on front poles
also location of 3 poles at Wm Mann
Whites Corner. No ~~objectors~~ protest
Voted to grant location as per petition.
Voted to grant location of ~~Jam~~
alteration known as

Dec 1 1911

Regular meeting Board adjourned
Hearing on Report of Health on Sanitary
organic Surplus of Drainage at Lafayette
Police Jury upon the Charter will
full former.

Dec 20 1911

Special Meeting Board adjourned.

Jan 5. 1912

Regular Meeting, all present.
Hearing on petition of Worcester
Con. St. Ry Co for permission to
cross Jaques & Auburn.
Voted To grant the Worcester Consolidated
St. Ry Co. to cross Jaques & Auburn
& etc according to law.
Voted To grant petition of N E Tel & Tel
to place poles & wires on Oakley Road to house
of W. L. Perry - Marlboro & Essex roads to house
of Frank Hodges on Chapin road from Woodland
to house of F F Tuttle
Voted to order a hearing on petition of
~~Southern Electric Co~~ for N E Tel & Tel Co
dated Dec 29. 1911 for right to attach its
wires to pole of the Marlboro Electric Co
on A. St to house of D. J Tuttle
for on Friday, Feby 2d 1912.
Voted To notify the selectmen of
Sarah E Robie that the Town
does not consider itself liable

Jan 16 1912

Special Meeting all present

Bill approved.

F. H. Newton & Collins as trustees of Cemetery appear & ask to have all the moneys received for sale of lots & bonds & etc to be set aside as a separate fund for the use of Cemetery Commissioners for improvements & Jesse Leach for bond lots.

~~Voted To give the Cemetery Commissioners authority~~

Voted To grant the request of the Cemetery Commissioners to turn over to the Town Treasurer to be held as a special fund all moneys received by them from the sale of lots & bonds & etc for their special use as Cemetery Commissioners for improvements and also to give the Cemetery Commissioners authority to give

deeds for burial lots.

Voted To give the Town Treasurer authority to draw the $15000 with interest from the Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co same being balance of deposit of the Town of Southboro policy being No. A.16 as authorized by the Town of Southboro.

In matter of claim of Sarah E Robin of Hampton Fall? of falling over stone in side road near house of Bridget Fingley, the chairman F. H. Newton of Selectmen reported he had notified Attorney Winfield Temple that this board was advised that the Town was not liable + we refused to pay said claim. Sat June 27. Petition of Marlboro Electric Co to locate poles on A St. granted.

February 2, 1912

Regular meeting, Mr Bennett absent, Pres. Howard

Petition of Patrick Mc Sweeney and thirteen other legal voters for location of a public way from the East side of Newton St from the town of Framingham, (See petition)

Voted 2-4-1912

Whereas Patrick Mc Sweeney and fourteen other legal voters of the town have petitioned for the location of a public way (to be known as Sweeney St) from Pelham St to Agawam Pelham Park Co. & the Agawam Park Co. & the Boston & Albany R.R. Co. and

Whereas on petition of Patrick Mc Sweeney et al

Voted To grant the petition of Patrick Mc Sweeney et al for a public way from Pelham St to the Agawam Park Co. & the Boston & Albany R.R. Co. to be known as Sweeney St and that the same be laid out as a public way from the date hereof.

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March 1912

Regular meeting, all present
Bills allowed.
Vote to build chimney at Hook & Ladder Fire House at Cordville on account of cement.
Request of Thos Tuda on Sloan
of the Fire House at Cordville
Vote to accept the same

March 27th 1912

Special Meeting. all present
Francis L. Hutchins warrant dated
Chairman of the Board
Thos. F. Burnett warrant dated
Secretary of the Board
Chas H. Newton warrant dated
Clerk of the town
Geo. [illegible] Constable elected Burial Agent
Wm. E. Berry " Agent of the Board of Health
John James Stockwell
Harry A. McMaster
A. E. Wright
E. C. Hodge
H. C. Nichols
Thos Fitzgerald
Edward C. Nichols
John [illegible] Sealey
Weighers of Coal for ensuing year
William Tousley
J. M. Howe
Fred M. Hole
Special Police for the protection of the waters of the Metropolitan Waters in Southborough [illegible]

Marcus Jackson John T. Bennett	Special Police with out pay.
Walter Briggs	Special police without pay on St. Monica property
John Sealey	Special police without pay for the Protestant Masonic Hall property
Chas J. Flanery	Fire Warden Southtown Center
Chas L. Hildreth	" " Forgetts & East
Nelson E. Abel	" " Cocanilla
Chas J. O'Brien	" " Southside
James B. Johnson	" " West End
Harry Bennett	Fire Warden & Boom Lot Watchman Assistant Fire Warden
"	
W. L. Simpson	Scales & Weights & Measures

Silas J. Allen — Inspector of Animals @ $20

Silas J. Allen — Inspector of Meat & Provisions at 4 cts per head

George Cambell — Keeper for 3 years.

Voted To give a license to Adam Eustace to keep intoxicating liquors in Southborough Depot.

Voted To request the Boston & Worcester to change the name of the station on the Marlboro Road from Lyon Center to the Middle Road.

Voted To appoint O. B. Collins Undertaker for the Town of Southboro.

Voted To appoint the Chairman & Clerk the Board on the Town House repairs & clean the Town House

April 5th 1911

Regular meeting All present.
Bills approved.
Hearing held on petition
P & Pac. Ry. Co. for track location at
Central St
Voted to grant petition.
Voted to grant petition of P. & Pac. Ry.
Co. for the relocation of electric poles
on Central St.
Voted. To abolish ballot clerks either
for the Presidential Caucus or Primary
April 30th. Hilliam Harrington
Andrew Sullivan Edmund J. Newton
Chas E. Bagley Henry M. Rogers
H C Baldwin. A E Wright & Edward F
Sullivan

April 22. 1912

Special meeting - P. T. Jenkins sheriff
absconded bills for fighting fire paid

May 3. 1912

Regular meeting - all present
Bills approved.
Voted To grant the petition of the
N. E. Tel & Tel Co. to attach the wires
to the poles of the Hamilton Electric Co.
on Sawmill Rd from Cordaville Rd
to private way leaving the residence
of Chas E. Fuessy - 14 poles.
Voted To grant the petition of the N. E.
Tel & Tel Co for the relocation of two
poles on Main Central St.
Voted. That the Treasurer be authorized
to borrow $5000 in anticipation of taxes
on the best terms possible.

Voted To have an expert accountant examine the books and methods of book keeping & data of the Highway Surveyor & make report and recommendation on the same.

Voted To fix notice offering $20.- for information leading to the conviction of any person breaking or entering Electric lights

Brattleboro June 7 1912

Pursuant meeting of Selectmen

Voted Petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. to be attached hereto & the prayer of the Petitioner Electric Co. plus or Highway St. plan 11, granted.

Voted It appears that application Special notice on account of

Township Court at Haymarket.

June 14. 1712

Special meeting according to Warrant
Bills allowed. Adjourned to June Ct.
Hearing on petition of Shalbow Clark
Lew. & Lecompt Rd 20 Turnpike Rd
& Ward Rd 15 Jenkins Rd
Voted In affirmative Lyman Tolland
Keeper of the Workhouse.

July 5. 1912

Regular meeting all present
Adjourned.
Hearing re Ch. O'Reilly award
for land taking on Brake Rd.
Frank Malchase & O'Reilly present.
Both sides to allow St Mark the
School to keep the water line going
as they school not know and
if school committee does not
object.

July 12. 1912
all present
Special meeting - Both adjourned
Lawn - Collector sworn
adjourned.
Voted to appoint Lyman Holland
Jr Tax Collector. Legion note for
$15000 - as authorized by special
Town meeting July 2. dated 7.1912
Proper Returned Bank of Braintree $15000

August 2 1912
Regular Meeting of Selectmen
Bills approved. All present.
Voted.
To request the Russell Stone Co of Braintree to remove the sign on the Boston Rd near the Eagle Cafe.
Voted To authorize authorized the Chairman to ask for bids, with the right to reject any or all bids for about three cords of Good Merchantable Spruce Wood

Aug 7, 1912
Special meeting all present
Hearing upon Petition of Braintree Electric Light Co to lay mains through Forest Ave
Voted To grant the prayer of the Petition of the Braintree Electric Light Co with such conditions for the protection of the Town

Sept 6. 1912

Regular meeting of board held
this afternoon.

Present & absent Members
Petitions of Lincoln Jefferson
without cost for use of March 23
Voted to keep the polls at the
Primaries on Sept 24 1912
open from 7 PM to 9 PM.

Voted To authorize the following
Election Officers for the Primaries Sept
24th 1912. Wm T Harrington, Edw. F
Collins A. E. Wright Chas E. Bagley
Henry M. Rogers Arthur R. Sullivan
Ed. C. Durkee & A. J. Hanlon.

Bids were opened for the school houses
in Southville & Cedarville.

Voted To accept the bid of J. H. Hubbard
for $307 for the Cedarville school being
the highest bidder & to accept the bid
of Ella Wellington for Tuesday for the
Southville School for $600 being the highest

bidden. Voted To reject the bids for the Grammar school.
Voted. To approve the action of the Highway Surveyor in fixing Beech Brook road as an not to be dangerous.

October 25 1912
Special meeting of Selectmen for purpose of signing warrant and appointing Tellers for State Election the following were appointed
W. T. Hemingway, E. F. Coleman, Chas E Bingley, A E Wright, Gordon R Sherman, H. O. Nichols, A. J. Newton, Henry M Ragan.
Petition N.Y. Tel & Tel Co. to attach wire to poles of Truesdale Electric Co located on Rockville Road to Residence of Mr. J. T. Storey granted.

Oct 4, 1912

Regular meeting, all board
[illegible] present. The selectmen signed
6 town notes of $1000 - $10000 - for the
Library building, $5000 for the new school
house between Southville & Cordaville
also one of $500 - all dated Oct 1 1912
No 7 - 16 inclusive $1000 each Library loan
$1000 to expire Oct 1, 1913 & 1914 inclusive
$5,500 School house loan No 17 & 28 inclusive
No 22 for $500 - all 4% and to
F. W. Harris & Co payable at 1st National
Bank of Boston
Voted To authorize Harry W. Young
& Fred B. Hamlin [illegible] neighbor
Voted To authorize Harry W Young
weigher of coal.

Nov. 1. 1912

Regular meeting all present
Bills allowed
Voted to admit F. H. Hunter
undertaker & clan fathering according to
law.

Dec. 6 1912

Regular meeting. Present Burnett
& Lincoln Bills allowed
Hearing on petition of N E Tel & Tel
Co for cross poles on Beach Road
Hall Rd from Worcester Turnpike to
corner of C. H. Whitney. Petition
Voted
To grant the petition of the
N E Tel & Tel Co. for cross poles
on Beach Road Hall Rd from
Worcester Turnpike Rd to corner
of C. H. Whitney

~~Feb~~ Jan 3. 1913.

Regular meeting. All present.
Bill allowed.
Voted Samuel F. Hersom be appointed
burial agent in place of Jos. Gault de-
ceased for the remainder of the year.

Jan. 17. 1913

Special meeting - all present -
bills approved
Voted To ~~authorize~~ authorize
the Town Treasurer to purchase
$1500 - American Tel & Tel Co 4% 10
Collateral Trust bond due 1929 at
market. This investment is funds
in the hands of the Town Treasurer
belonging to the Jay Fabian fund
Voted To authorize the Town Treasurer
to hire a safety deposit box of the
Peoples Nat. Bank of Jaffrey to keep
investments - Selectmen to pay

Voted That the Town Treasurer and one of the Selectmen or two of the Selectmen enter the safety deposit box together & that there shall also be two Officials present.

Petition received from Frank J. Salmon for license to have a Place of Amusement at White Corner, chance to alcoholic

Voted To authorize a Sunday hearing on the same.

Voted To appointed Allan Knapp Registrar of Voters in place of Jerry Costello deceased.

Dzutbrow, Mass. Feb 7 1913
Regular meeting of Selectmen,
Newton & Hammond present.
Bills approved

July 15, 1913.

~~Dec~~ Special meeting called pursuant
to warrant & order of
annual Town meeting.

Voted

To adjourn to following Tuesday
at 8 o'clock for March meeting

A. J. Hanks
A. R. Sullivan
Wm. T. Hampton
E. J. Collins

A. E. Wright
W. H. Rogers
[illegible]
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To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Southborough:

Respectfully Petition the Directors of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company, a street railway corporation duly established, under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and whose tracks are located in said town of Southborough, by the President of said corporation hereunto duly authorized, for an alteration of the location of the Company's said tracks as now established in said town of Southborough and for a location for an extension of said tracks in said town of Southborough as follows:—

Said alteration of the location of the Company's tracks consists in relocating the company's present main track a short distance partly to the north and partly to the south, substantially as shown upon the plan hereinafter referred to, upon Worcester Turnpike, so-called, as now located and as it is now planned to be altered or widened. Said alterations of the location of the Company's tracks to be made from a point in said turnpike at or near the present termination of the Company's double tracks near Sudbury Reservoir, No. 5, thence easterly along the northerly side of said turnpike as now located and as it may be hereafter altered or widened to a point about 165 ft. easterly from the junction of Cherry Street with said turnpike.

Said extension of tracks of the company consist of a second main track extending from the termination of the Company's double track on said turnpike near Sudbury Reservoir, No. 5, thence easterly along the northerly side of said turnpike to a point about 165 feet easterly from the Junction of Cherry Street with said turnpike substantially parallel with and a short distance to the south of the Company's present main track as it shall be moved in alteration of its present location in accordance with the foregoing petition.

And the Directors of said Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company further petition that said Company be authorized to operate cars by electricity upon its tracks as the same shall be located after the alteration and the location for the extension above set forth, and to erect and use such poles, wires and appliances upon, over or under said Worcester turnpike as it is now located and as it may be hereafter altered and windened as may be necessary for the operation of the railway of said company over said alteration and extension of location.

The location for said alteration of location and said extension of tracks and the location of poles made necessary thereby are to be substantially as shown in red upon plan by Edwin H. Rogers, Civil Engineer, entitled "Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company, Southborough, Mass.,"—plan showing extension and alteration of tracks on Worcester turnpike between Sudbury Reservoir, No. 5, and Cherry Street," dated July 15, 1905, and filed herewith.

Dated this 26th day of July, 1905.

Directors of the Boston & Worcester Street Railway Company

By JAMES F. SHAW, President.

A true copy attest:

B. D. Sumner.

SELECTMEN'S OFFICE
TOWN OF SOUTHBOROUGH.

Aug. 21, 1905.

Pursuant to the foregoing petition, the Selectmen of Southborough will give a hearing to all parties interested in the matter contained therein, in their room at the town hall. Southborough, on Wednesday evening, September 13th, 1905, at half past seven o'clock.

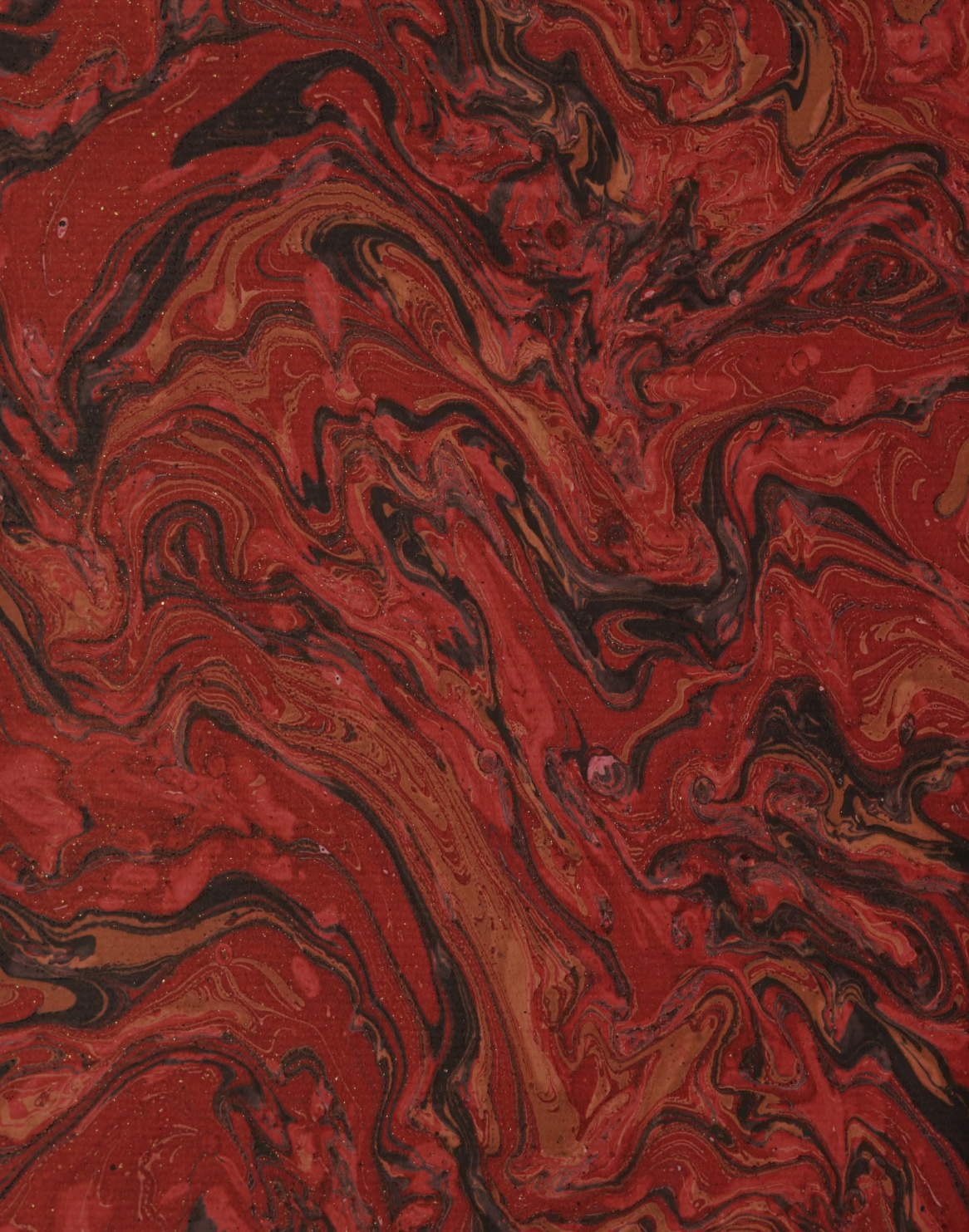
And it is hereby ordered that the petitioners give public notice of said hearing by posting an attested copy hereof in each of the Post Offices in the Town of Southborough, and by publishing same in the Southborough Enterprise.

CHARLES F. CHOATE, JR.
JOHN J. HENDERSON
CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS.
Selectmen of Southborough.

By CHARLES L. FAIRBANKS, Clerk.

A true copy attest:

B. D. Sumner.



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November 2008

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